GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
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Expenditure on Procurement of Military Equipment
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether India tops among ten major countries in terms of percentage of expenditure on procurement of military equipment and development of defence infrastructure;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether India is not spending proportionately on operations and maintenance of military equipment and development of defence infrastructure;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(e) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) to (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

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